| COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)   |                                  |                          |                             |        | Docket No.<br>MCO-10402/08 |                   |  |  |
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| In Re Application Of: Least et al  APR 0 7 2006  |                                  |                          |                             |        |                            |                   |  |  |
| Application  | FilingDate                       | Examiner                 | Customer No                 | 0. (   | Group Art Unit             | Confirmation No.  |  |  |
|  | PAD 02/06/2004                   | C. Shaw                  | 25006                       |        | 1725                       | 8378              |  |  |
| Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ELECTRICAL RESISTANCE SPOT WELDING USING ELECTRICAL SERVO ACTUATOR   |                                  |                          |                             |        |                            |                   |  |  |
| COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:  This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a |                                  |                          |                             |        |                            |                   |  |  |
| response to the  | Office Action of                 | Dec. 5, 2005 in the      | above-identified ap         | pplic  | ation.                     |                   |  |  |
| The requested e  | xtension is as follows (         | check time period desire | red):                       |        |                            |                   |  |  |
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| from:  | March 5, 2000                    | 6 until                  | i: <u>A</u> j               | pril 5 | 5, 2006                    | <del></del>       |  |  |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.  The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:    |                                  |                          |                             |        |                            |                   |  |  |
|  |                                  | CLAIMS AS AM             | ENDED                       |        |                            |                   |  |  |
|  | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST# PREV. PAID FOR  | NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT |        | RATE                       | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |  |  |
| TOTAL CLAIMS   | 18 -                             | 20 =                     | 0                           | x      | \$25.00                    | \$0.00            |  |  |
| INDEP. CLAIMS  | 3 -                              | 3 =                      | 0                           | x      | \$100.00                   | \$0.00            |  |  |
|  | FEE FOR AMENDMENT \$0.00         |                          |                             |        |                            |                   |  |  |
|  | OF TIME                          | \$60.00                  |                             |        |                            |                   |  |  |
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| ۶.                                 | <ul> <li>✓ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.</li> <li>✓ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17</li> </ul>                                  | 7.   |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Reg. I<br>Giffor<br>PO Bo<br>Troy, | Signature glas L. Wathen No. 41,369 ord, Krass, Groh et al 30x 7021 r, MI 48007-7021 248-647-6000  | I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on 4/5/06    Continue of Person Mailing Correspondence |  |  |  |  |  |
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